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SUBJECT: SIAD MESSAGE OF SOLIDARITY WITH CUBAN COMMUNIST PARTY
CONGRESS

1. FOLLOWING IS MESSAGE OF CONGRATULATIONS AND SOLIDARITY
SENT BY PRESIDENT SIAD TO 1ST CONGRESS OF COMMUNIST PARTY
OF CUBA:

2. QTE DEAR COMRADES, THE SUPREME REVOLUTIONARY COUNCIL,
CONVEYS TO THE COMMUNIST PARTY, GOVERNMENT AND PEOPLE
OF CUBA HEARTY AND COMRADELY GREETINGS.

3. QTE THE SOMALI PEOPLE HAVE FOLLOWED WITH GREAT
RESPECT AND ADMIRATION THE HEROIC EFFORTS OF YOUR PEOPLE
AND THE MIGHTY SUCCESSES THEY ACHIEVED IN LIQUIDATING
THE IMPERIALIST SYSTEM AND IT'S OPPRESSIVE - NEO-COLONIAL
OFFSPRING AND BUILDING, ON ITS DEBRIS, A NEW SOCIETY WORTHY
OF MAN.

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4. QTE THIS CONGRESS OF YOUR PARTY IS A HISTORIC ONE. IT MARKS A FURTHER ADVANCE IN THE CONSOLIDATION OF THE PEOPLE'S POWER. IT MARKS A MILESTONE AND A GUIDE POST FOR THE ANTI-IMPERIALIST MOVEMENT IN MANY COUNTRIES OF LATIN AMERICA, AFRICA AND ASIA.

5. QTE THE ACHIEVEMENT OF THE CUBAN PEOPLE IN RESISTING AND OVERCOMING IMPERIALIST AGGRESSION, AND IN THEIR SELFLESS COMMITMENT TO INTERNATIONAL SOLIDARITY OF THE SOCIALIST AND ANTI-IMPERIALIST FORCES FOREVER GIVING MORAL ENCOURAGEMENT TO THOSE WHO MAY WAVER.

6. QTE WE ARE SURE THAT THE DECISIONS OF YOUR CONGRESS, AND THEIR IMPLEMENTATIONS, ON MATTERS OF POLITICAL, SOCIAL, ECONOMIC, SCIENTIFIC AND CULTURAL PLANNING WILL NOT ONLY FURTHER ADVANCE THE HAPPINESS OF YOUR PEOPLE BUT WILL DEFINITELY GIVE A FURTHER IMPETUS TO THE LATIN AMERICAN, AFRICAN AND ASIAN REVOLUTION, AND TO INTERNATIONAL SOLIDARITY. WE ARE CERTAIN THAT SUCH EFFORTS OF YOURS TO FURTHER ORGANIZE YOUR RECONSTRUCTION PROCESS IS IN ITSELF AN ACT OF SOLIDARITY WITH ALL THE ANTI-IMPERIALIST FORCES.

7. QTE WITH THE DISAPPEARANCE OF OLD STYLE COLONIALISM, IMPERIALIST DOMINATION IS MANIFESTING ITSELF IN THE FORM OF NEO-COLONIALISM. THE STRUGGLE AGAINST THIS NEW FORM

OF DOMINATION IS MUCH MORE DIFFICULT AND INTENSIVE. TO DEFEAT CLASSICAL COLONIALISM A PURE NATIONALIST MOVEMENT ESTABLISHING AN INDEPENDENT STATE SEEMED TO BE SUFFICIENT, WITHOUT CHANGING MUCH OF THE INHERITED SOCIAL AND ECONOMIC STRUCTURE. WE HAVE ALL SEEN THE PITFALLS OF SUCH A SITUATION: THE INDEPENDENT STATE BECOMING AN OBSCURANTIST SUPERSTRUCTURE, UNDER WHICH THE REAL RELATIONS OF OPPRESSION AND EXPLOITATION REMAIN UN TOUCHED. TO COMBAT THIS REQUIRES A NEW MOVEMENT TO WREST THE MEANS OF PRODUCTION FROM IMPERIALISM, TO ATTACK THE OLD FORMS OF SOCIAL RELATIONS ROOT AND BRANCH, IN OTHER WORDS A SOCIALIST SOLUTION. IT IS HERE THAT THE CUBAN

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EXAMPLE IS MOST SIGNIFICANT.

8. QTE AGAIN, TO DEFEND, INTENSIFY AND EXTEND THE SUCCESSES OF THE SOCIALIST REVOLUTION AND TO GUIDE IT IN THE TRANSITION PERIOD REQUIRES A VANGUARD PARTY WITH THE CORRECT MARXIST-LENINIST THEORY. HERE ALSO THE CUBAN EXPERIMENT IS MOST INSTRUCTIVE TO US. OUR PEOPLE WILL FOLLOW THE WORK OF THE 1ST CONGRESS OF THE

COMMUNIST PARTY OF CUBA WITH GREAT INTEREST AND
ATTENTION.

9. QTE FINALLY, PERMIT ME TO SALUTE THE COMMUNIST
PARTY OF CUBA AND ITS GREAT LEADER FIDEL CASTRO. LET
US SALUTE ALSO THE GREAT REVOLUTIONARY MASSES OF AFRICA,
LATIN AMERICA AND ASIA; THE PEOPLES IN THE SOCIALIST
WORLD WHO ARE ALREADY BUILDING A NEW WORLD; THE
PROGRESSIVE AND WORKERS MOVEMENT IN THE WEST WHO ARE
FIGHTING IN THE CITADELS OF IMPERIALISM. UNQTE

10. REPRESENTING SOMALIA AT THE CONGRESS IS VICE
PRESIDENT OF THE SRC AND ALSO CHAIRMAN OF THE
SRC POLITICAL AND SOCIAL COMMITTEE, COLONEL ISMAIL
ALI ABOKER, WHO IS LEADING A SIX-MAN DELEGATION.
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